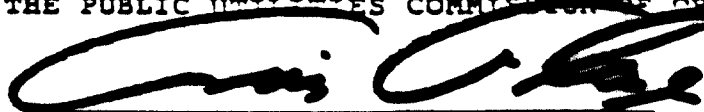


ORDERED, That Ameritech shall file an application for a waiver from the United States District Court for the District of Columbia which would authorize it to terminate interLATA telecommunication services from the Aurora, Twinsburg, and Northfield exchanges to the Akron Exchange, that Ameritech submit a copy of the application to the Commission, and that Ameritech keep the Commission advised of the status of the application. It is, further,

ORDERED, That copies of this Finding and Order be served upon Western Reserve, Ameritech, the IXC's, their respective counsel, and all interested persons of record.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO



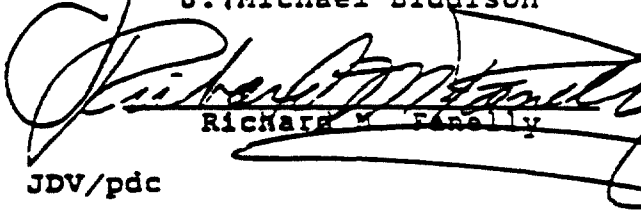
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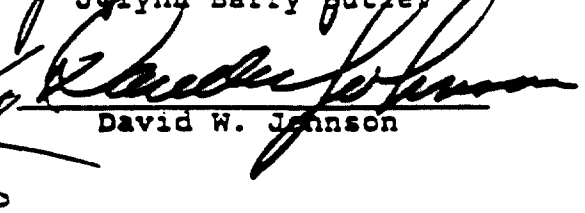
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BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Joint Application of)
 The Western Reserve Telephone Company)
 and Ameritech Ohio for the Approval of)
 One-Way, Extended Local Calling Service)
 from the Aurora, Northfield, and Twinsburg) Case No. 94-1103-TP-PEX
 Exchanges of The Western Reserve)
 Telephone Company to the Akron Exchange)
 of Ameritech Ohio.)

ENTRY

The Commission finds:

- (1) By finding and order issued March 23, 1995, the Commission, among other things, granted the joint application of Western Reserve Telephone Company and Ameritech Ohio to provide one-way, nonoptional Extended Local Calling Service (ELCS) from the Aurora, Northfield, and Twinsburg exchanges to the Akron Exchange. ELCS is a measured-rate extended area service. The Commission ordered Ameritech Ohio to file an application for a waiver from the United States District Court for the District of Columbia which would authorize Ameritech to terminate interLATA telecommunication services from the Aurora, Twinsburg, and Northfield exchanges to the Akron Exchange.
- (2) As the Commission has acknowledged in recent cases involving Ameritech in which interLATA EAS has been ordered, the procedure used to acquire a waiver from the U. S. District Court was eliminated by the passage of the Telecommunications ACT of 1996. *Modification of Final Judgment in United States V. Western Electric et al.*, Civil Action No. 82-1092 (April 11, 1996). Ameritech has previously stated that it believes that a petition to the Federal Communications Commission for a waiver or a modification of the current LATA boundary is necessary under the Telecommunications Act of 1996 before it can provide any interLATA service. *Jennings et al. v. Ameritech Ohio*, Case No. 95-983-TP-PEX, Ameritech application for rehearing, at page 3, filed on August 22, 1996. Accordingly, Ameritech should file, within 20 days of the date of this entry, a petition with the Federal Communications Commission for authority to provide interLATA ELCS service from the Aurora, Northfield, and Twinsburg exchanges to the Akron Exchange.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That Ameritech shall file, within 20 days of the date of this entry, petition with the Federal Communications Commission for authority to provide interstate LATA ELCS from the Aurora, Northfield, and Twinsburg exchanges to the Akron Exchange. It is, further,

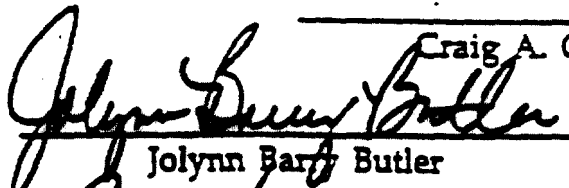
ORDERED, That within 120 days of procuring the necessary approval, Ameritech and Western Reserve shall institute ELCS from the Aurora, Northfield, and Twinsburg exchanges to the Akron Exchange. It is, further,

ORDERED, That within thirty days of procuring the necessary approval, Ameritech and Western Reserve shall establish an in-service date for the service and inform the Commission of the date. It is, further,

ORDERED, That Ameritech and Western Reserve are authorized to file revised tariff sheets reflecting the establishment of the ELCS from the Aurora, Northfield, and Twinsburg exchanges to the Akron Exchange under separate cover letters, which reference Case No. 94-1103-TP-PEX and the docket numbers of Ameritech's and Western Reserve's respective tariffs. These tariffs shall be effective upon the institution of the ELCS. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon all parties of record.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO


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